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## THE GOVERNOR'S FIRST MESSAGE

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### CAUSE OF DEFICIT.

An examination of our expenditures shows not so much reckless extravagance as the wide range of service we are attempting to render from our general revenues; and, therefore, to cut out extravagance will not entirely meet the emergency, but we must do away with the least important functions of the government and provide for special services by special charges. This, gentlemen, can only be done and can best be done, by the Legislature. Our experiment of self-government will fail unless the people can be made to recognize the full responsibility of citizenship; that no government has any resources except those obtained from the people; that under our Territorial Act we cannot bond a deficit, but must pay as we go. Therefore, if we are to prove worthy of the privileges granted us by Congress, we will face this situation squarely and adopt such measures as will offer the best solution.

### BURDENS OF THE PEOPLE.

I do not pretend that the suggestions offered by me are the only ones which will meet the difficulty, but I ask for them your serious consideration, and will urge and approve any measure that brings us down to a lower plane of expenditure, for I believe, with proper readjustment and reorganization, our present taxes are sufficient. In my address made to the people of Hawaii, when I was inaugurated as your Governor last November, I expressed the hope that it might be my pleasure to lessen the burden of the people's taxes during the term of my administration. Unfortunately it is not possible to do this at the present time. That may come later. But I do feel that taxes should not be increased in any degree, and it is my belief that the adoption of the financial policy herewith submitted to you will at least keep the contributions of the people toward the support of the government within their present limit without the necessity of making further calls upon them—a policy that, in my judgment, it is desirable to avoid.

### PURPOSE OF TAXATION.

The quick, the easy and the weak

method of solving this difficulty would be to increase the revenues. But taxation is surely an evil when through extraordinary or injudicious expenditures it is excessive, and when it demands too large a portion of the income or increased wealth of a country—out of which, and not out of accumulative capital, all taxes ought to be paid. And are we not now at that point beyond which we will limit or abridge the liberty of the individual in his possession and use of property? By what theory do we now tax the 155,000 people of these Islands some \$2,160,000 per year? After paying our taxes do any of us feel richer? Or do we feel that the Government is giving each of us back as much in value and no more and no less than we gave it? Yet it is on that theory alone, that taxation is justified. Unnecessary taxes, overpaid salaries, or the maintenance of institutions that are not essential are wholly lost.

### QUESTION BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE.

The whole question, it seems to me, is this: Are our expenditures from the general funds of the Territory necessary and equitable? Not are they desirable; not are they suitable? It is only for actual need that the power of taxation can be granted. It is believed by some that there is no injury in excessive taxation, inasmuch as it is all returned to the taxpayers through the expenditures of the Government which, by increasing the demand for commodities and service, create or expand markets, maintain prices, enlarge the sphere for industrial employment and favor an increase in the supply and circulation of money. But we cannot receive the smallest benefit from payment by those to whom we have previously furnished the means of buying. It is quite as irrational as it would be for a store-keeper to attempt to increase his business and get rich by supplying his customers with money to buy his goods. To keep up overgrown establishments that are not absolutely necessary is simply to overreach and cheat ourselves.

### APPROPRIATIONS CUT OUT.

Thus in order to bring the recommendations for appropriations within the income, I have found it necessary to cut out the Land Registration Court, Hospital Subsidies, Jury Fees, Government Physicians, Honolulu Dispensary, the Militia, the Band, and the Summer School for our teachers, in addition to reductions in salaries and expenditures of all departments.

### NEW METHOD OF ACCOUNTING.

Before taking up our finances, I desire to call your attention to our present method of accounts. It is neither a system divided on the lines of different classes of public service, nor is it divided in accordance with districts. Without considerable ingenuity and much inquiry, it is at present almost impossible for the ordinary taxpayer to find out the net cost of many of our institutions, or the total revenue and expenditure on the part of our people of their own affairs. Therefore, I recommend the appointment by you of a commission of three experts, to serve without pay, to investigate and report at the next regular session of the Legislature a plan for the reorganizing of our system of accounts by establishing funds for each Island or District, so that the residents in each may be able to see what each District contributes to the support of the whole, and how much has been expended for improvements and the maintenance of public institutions in each.

could perhaps best illustrate the idea somewhat as follows:

### SEGREGATION OF EXPENDITURES.

Such a commission might devise a plan by which the next Legislature could select and segregate as Territorial matters—the care of the insane and of our unfortunate at Molokai, the expenses of a Territorial penitentiary, the cost of superintendence of each general department, such as Public Works, Education, Finance, etc.

To meet all of which a fair proportion of the revenues of each Island or District could be set apart. Against the remaining revenue of each Island could be charged the proportion spent in each district for public improvements, police, education, etc., the surplus, if any, remaining to the credit of each Island.

### POWER OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Such a plan would, perhaps, tend to satisfy in part our disappointment at the failure of county government, and yet it would not conflict with the Organic Act, nor need it increase the public expenditure, except as desired from

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## FILIPINO BAND ON THE SHERIDAN

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the Constabulary Band. This organization is composed of Filipinos with the exception of the leader who is an American negro. He received his musical education at the Boston Conservatory of Music and is a very proficient leader. He has gotten the Filipino band which is going to the St. Louis Exposition, into a splendid state of efficiency. There are 83 members of the band. The band played during the voyage from Manila.

Arrangements have been made whereby the Filipino band will give a concert at the Young Hotel this evening from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. A dance will follow and townspeople are cordially invited by Manager Lake to the concert and the dance.

In addition to the Filipino Band there are 500 Filipino members of the Constabulary aboard the vessel. They are going to the St. Louis Exposition. The Sheridan has a shipment of exhibits from the Philippines for the St. Louis Fair. A part of this exhibit is a large canoe or canoe. It has been sawed into several pieces as it was too large to put aboard the vessel, except in sections.

There are 550 enlisted men of the Eleventh Cavalry aboard the vessel. The headquarters and band of this regiment are also on the vessel. Colonel Earl D. Thomas is the commanding officer of the regiment. The wives of various officers of the regiment are also passengers. The families of various government and military employees are passengers for the mainland. Captain Henry L. Roosevelt, a cousin of President Roosevelt, is a passenger home in company with his wife and children. Captain Roosevelt is attached to the Marine Corps.

The Eleventh Regiment Band is to play at the Moana Hotel this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The headquarters of the regiment is to go to Des Moines, Iowa. General Francis Moore and family are aboard. He was formerly the commander of the Eleventh Cavalry, but was made a brigadier-general a year ago last February.

There were no passengers to stop at this port from the vessel. The Sheridan is scheduled to sail for San Francisco at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. She will reach San Francisco ahead of any other vessel and will carry mail from Honolulu.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

### ARRIVING.

Tuesday, April 5.  
S. S. Nihau, W. Thompson, from Ahukini, with 7000 bags sugar.

Wednesday, April 6.  
S. S. Mikahala, Gregory, Kaula, with 2000 bags sugar, 17 barrels poi, 47 packages sundries.

Stmr. Maui, Bennett, from Hawaii ports, with 13465 bags sugar, 89 head cattle, 2 packages sundries.  
Am. bark Edward May, Hanson, 22 days from San Francisco at 12:45 p. m.

### DEPARTING.

Wednesday, April 6.  
Stmr. Lehua, Napala, for Molokai, Lanai and Maui ports, at 5 p. m.

Thursday, April 7.  
S. S. Nevada, Greene, for Kahului, at 5 p. m.

### PASSENGERS.

Arriving.  
Per Stmr. Mikahala, from Kaula April 5.—F. J. Swadling, William Camps, S. Tanaka, Pah On, Miss B. Loeffler, Miss F. Alameda, Mr. Shinigawa, L. Nakapahu, Mrs. Nakapahu, Mrs. Ah Moa, Miss Nin Tai, Yen Sheong, Rev. S. K. Kaili, S. W. Wilcox and wife, Paul de Britville, E. A. Mott-Smith, Miss M. Heckbath, Miss Arnold, M. S. Levy, 48 deck.

## BECKLEY'S COUP

Speaker Beckley's action this morning in declaring the House to be under its former organization, with himself as Speaker and other officers and committees as they were at the time of the last adjournment, may be called in question. Some of the members expected to proceed with forming an organization, as if the adjournment since the last year had destroyed the former organization. Beckley, however, called attention to the fact that there are no House rules on the subject and invited the House to proceed, and there were no objections to his course. A good deal of time was saved, but after adjournment there were some criticisms and

## Senate Decides To Hold Session In Afternoon

There was nothing of the dramatic attending the convening of the Senate in special session this morning. In fact that body started in its work with a business like expedition that bodes well for prompt handling of business by the Senate.

There was, however, a slight disposition to wrangle over minor details of rules but there was no desire to attempt obstruction and if there seemed any unnecessary delay in handling this matter of the rules it was because of the wis on the part of various members to help get the matter settled.

Every member of the Senate was present, with the exception of Senator Cecil Brown of Oahu and Senator H. P. Baldwin of Maui. The former is absent on a tour of the Orient while the latter will be unable to attend until Saturday owing to press of business on Maui. The Senators present this morning when the Senate was called to order were Senators Achi, Crabbe, Ikenberg, Kalaupoko and McCandless, of Oahu; Woods, Paris, Kaohi and J. T. Brown of Hawaii Wilcox and Nakapahu of Kaula and Kiue and Dickey of Maui.

## Home Ruler Wise Carries The House

The House did not take any time for organizing. Ten minutes after Speaker Beckley called the members to order Governor Carter's message was being read by W. J. Coelho. All the officers were on hand excepting Meheua. George P. Thielens, stenographer of the last session, acted as clerk. At 10 o'clock Beckley announced that the Governor had called the Legislature in special session and that it was desired that the message, which was ready, should be received as soon as possible. He suggested a committee to notify the Governor that the House was ready for business, and his suggestion was immediately followed. Thus the House broke all records for making a quick start.

M. K. Kou, S. Kellinot and E. A. Knudsen constituted the committee. They went upstairs and gave the notice, upon which the message was sent. A new custom was followed in delivery of the message. Secretary Atkinson brought it in person and delivered it to temporary Clerk Thielens.

If the opening of the session was free from politics and discussion the half-hour before was rich enough in both. There was a very lively canvass among members by the candidates for the clerkship, the candidates most in evidence being Thielens, E. S. Boyd and John Wise. The candidates for Sergeant-at-Arms were also in evidence. The Rev. Kekuewa acted as chaplain and Kaleo was Sergeant-at-Arms as last time, and Maui Messenger.

After the reading of the message Speaker Beckley addressed the House on the subject of organization, a message having arrived from the Senate, giving notice that it had organized and was ready for business. He said that he had called the House to order under the rules adopted at the last session and that the House was under the organization existing at the date of the last session.

talk of trying to unseat Beckley, among Home Rulers.

## SUBSIDIES

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intend that the legislature should not be at liberty to go further and appropriate other proper items not included within that designation. The object of the called session is not declared to be for the consideration of such appropriation bills, but for the consideration of appropriation bills, without any limitation whatever other than the implied one that the matters covered shall be rightful subjects of legislative appropriation.

"The remaining points argued do not properly arise on this motion and will not be considered at this time. The motion is denied."

"The appeal itself is now in order for hearing."

"Robertson & Wilder for appellants."  
"E. C. Peters, Deputy Attorney General, for the Auditor."

## DIRECTORS SAW DAMAGE

The directors of Oahu Sugar Company were at Waipahu today inspecting the damaged pump and sump. Part of the remaining wall caved in last February during the heavy freshets. The wall damaged the pump and the water flooded the sump so that the various wells supplying the water could not be shut off.

Diver Herb Young was employed to work under the water and try to close the gates that shut off the water. He succeeded recently in doing so and today the directors inspected the place in order to gain an idea of the extent of the damage. The work of removing the debris will be commenced.

### PRICE OF SUGAR.

By Cable to the Planters Association. From Williams, Diamond & Co. SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—The New York price of 96 degree centrifugals this day is 3.645 cents a pound. \$72.90 a ton. The last previous quo-

of Maui.

It was Senator Dickey as the senior member of the majority who called the Senate to order. Business was at once proceeded with in a way that kept Clerk Savidge busy with the progress of events. The Senate has set a record for prompt organization for within fifteen minutes it had chosen permanent officers, heard prayer, indulged in a discussion, sent a committee to the governor and taken a recess.

A finance committee was appointed, as was a committee on rules. Senator McCandless as chairman of the committee introduced the governor's bill for appropriations for the period from July 1, 1904 to June 30, 1905. This bill under a suspension of the rules, was passed first reading and second reading set for tomorrow.

The Senate also decided to follow the custom of the United States Congress and have the committees meet in the morning and conduct the regular session in the afternoon with night sessions when necessary. A recess was taken until 2 p. m. today.

"It is a time of financial crisis," said Beckley, "and we are called to remedy conditions. If it is desired I am prepared to assist the House as far as I can help you in making the session a short one and at the least expense possible. There is no further business now before the chair."

There was a good deal of hesitancy about starting and Kupihea got in the first motion. It was out of order. Kupihea wanted to "vote on" the office of clerk of the House.

Kellinot moved that the offices of clerk and stenographer be combined. Beckley stated that an amendment of the rules would be necessary and ruled Kellinot out of order. Fernandez' motion to cut out the office of stenographer was killed by the same ruling. Pali wanted to investigate the absence of Jaeger, but the Speaker said that the business under consideration was vacancies in offices.

The clerkship was taken up and Kupihea nominated Wise. Lewis nominated Charles Williams and Knudsen nominated George P. Thielens. The election was by ballot. Wise secured 16 votes, Thielens 10 and Williams 3, giving Wise a clear majority and electing him. On the first test vote, a Home Rule clerk was elected by this twenty-to-ten Republican House.

Wise at once took office as clerk and Thielens retired, giving his resignation as stenographer.

Kellinot gave notice of amendments to the rules, which will make possible the changes of organization and dropping of officers if desired.

Speaker Beckley asked the finance committee to meet the Governor after the session and suggested an adjournment or a recess. Kupihea was on his feet with a motion for a recess to 12 o'clock. Long moved to take a recess to two this afternoon and the motion carried.

tation was March 30, 3.67 cents a pound.

## E. P. DOLE WITHDRAWS HIS CANDIDACY

E. P. Dole has withdrawn as a candidate for appointment to the Territorial Supreme bench. This news received here this morning in a cable gram. The withdrawal of the ex-attorney general for the appointment to the Hawaiian Supreme Court came as a surprise to his friends. It has been supposed by them that he would continue to allow his name to be considered but for some reason probably best known to himself, he withdrew.

### NOTLEY WILL CASE.

Kinney, McLanahan and Cooper and J. J. Dunne this morning filed in the Supreme Court a petition for a rehearing of the Notley will contest, claiming that the Supreme Court overlooked vital points and reversed a number of its own controlling decisions in the opinion recently handed down, sustaining the will. The attorneys set forth many points on which they claim the court erred, and cite a long list of the court's own decisions which are claimed to be contrary to the one just given. It is also claimed that the decision was based mainly on a point not presented in argument, and counsel desire to be heard. The decision of the case was by a majority, Galbraith dissenting.

### NEVADAN ARRIVED TODAY.

The S. S. Nevada arrived this morning from San Francisco with five days' later mail and news files. She brought general cargo for Honolulu and Kahului. She brought stock for this port.

### HONOLULU STOCK EXCHANGE.

Session Sales, \$0 Ewa, \$20.00. Dividends, Onomea (S. F. April 5), 1 per cent.

Wednesday, April 6, 1904.

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Haw. Sugar Co. .... 21.00  
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## REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES

Republican Primaries to choose delegates to the convention to elect delegates and alternates to the National Convention in Chicago will be held in all the precincts this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The places of meeting for this island are as follows:

FOURTH DISTRICT.  
First Precinct—Tom Cummins' residence, Pawaia.  
Second Precinct—J. W. Pratt's residence, Kewala street.  
Third Precinct—Punchbowl Hall, end of Punchbowl car line.  
Fourth Precinct—San Antonio Hall, Vineyard street.  
Fifth Precinct—Garbage Department Stables, Kakaako.  
Sixth Precinct—Republican Headquarters, Fort street.  
Seventh Precinct—Waimanalo.  
Eighth Precinct—Thomas Square.  
FIFTH DISTRICT.  
First Precinct—Koolaukoko.  
Second Precinct—Koolauloa.  
Third Precinct—Wahana.  
Fourth Precinct—Waimanalo.  
Fifth Precinct—Ewa Mill.  
Sixth Precinct—Ewa Court House.  
Seventh Precinct—Kalihi Camp.  
Eighth Precinct—Senator Achi's Warehouse.  
Ninth Precinct—Mrs. Hoffman's yard, Wyllie street.  
Tenth Precinct—Camp No. 2, Vineyard street.

### BAND CONCERT FOR LOGAN.

The Territorial band, will give a band concert at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, next Friday evening for the benefit of the U. S. Army officers and their wives, due to arrive that day on the transport Logan from San Francisco. If however the Gaelic should arrive a day ahead of time, or before her schedule day (Saturday) and the band be required at the reception at the Chinese consulate to Prince Lun there will be a postponement of the hotel concert to next Tuesday.

A dance will be given in any event at the hotel, to the Logan officers the night she is in port at which the Hawaiian Quintette club will play, also during the dinner hour.

### SHIPPING NOTES.

Ookala expects to commence grinding again some time next week. The Maui reports that the Falls of Clyde arrived at Hilo Saturday, April 2.

Bock Beer \$2.00 per dozen quarts at Camara & Co. Telephone Main 492.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## BY AUTHORITY

## Proclamation!

I, GEORGE R. CARTER, Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, by virtue of the authority in me vested by law, hereby convene the Legislature in Special Session on Wednesday, the Sixth Day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Four, for the consideration of such financial measures as may be brought before it.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Territory of Hawaii to be affixed.

(Seal) Done at the Capitol in Honolulu this Twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1904.

G. R. CARTER.

By the Governor:

A. L. C. ATKINSON,  
Secretary of Hawaii.  
Mar. 22, 26, 30, Apr. 2, 6.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Kow Kam, a member of the firm of Wing Sing Lee Company, has this day sold his entire interests in the firm of Wing Sing Lee Company, and the Company will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the said Kow Kam.

WING SING LEE CO.,  
By Wah Ging.  
Honolulu, April 4, 1904.

### NOTICE.

5TH PRECINCT—4TH DISTRICT.  
All Republicans of the Eighth Precinct, Fourth District, are requested to meet at the bandstand, Thomas Square, on Wednesday evening, April 6th, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating delegates.

JOHN K. KAMANOU,LU,  
First Vice-President.  
Honolulu, April 4, 1904.

### NOTICE.

The convention called for the election of Delegates to the Presidential Convention to be held in Hilo on April 21, 1904 is changed to Honolulu on April 18, 1904.  
By order of the Republican Territorial Central Committee,  
W. H. HOOGLS,  
Secretary.  
April 4, 1904.

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